PATENT IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Rober T. Gunn 10/795,935 Low Friction Fibers, Methods For Their Preparation, and Articles Made Thereform Filed March 8, 2004 Jill M. Gray Examiner Art Unit 1774 745 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10151 Tel: 212-588-0800 Mail Stop Amendment **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Dear Sir: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below. This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply. Claims as Amended (1) (2)(3)(5) (6)Claims remaining after Highest Present extra Rate amendment number previously paid for Total claims 26 Minus ** =28 * 0 x \$50 (25) Independent claims 5 Minus ***=5 * 0 x \$200 (100) Total additional fee for this amendment If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5. If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space. *** If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space. This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$290(145) has been previously paid \square , or is paid herewith . This response is being filed within the 3rd month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a 3 month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$1,020.00 is attached, which covers the cost of \square additional claims \boxtimes petition for extension of \boxtimes Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320. Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320. EXPRESS MAIL Respectfully submitted,

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